City of Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 35.

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE **CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: DECEMBER 5, 2007**

DEPARTMENT: MUNICIPAL COURT DIRECTOR: JAMES CARMANY Consent Discussion

SUBJECT:

Approval of grant funding agreement and matching funds between the Nevada Office of Traffic Safety (NOTS) and the Las Vegas Municipal Court to continue funding of a DUI Court Coordinator and annual DUI Conference in the amount of \$109,510 (\$80,000 grant funds/General Fund matching funds not to exceed \$29,510)

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	Budget Funds Available	11 40
Amount: 109,510		
Fundi	ng Source: Grant/General Fun	ds

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

Dept./Division: Municipal Court/ASED

The grant award of \$80,000 for federal fiscal year 2008 (10/1/07-9/30/08), provides continuation funding to support a grant funded DUI Court Coordinator for the DUI specialty court and the 2nd annual DUI conference. It is the final allocation for the project and is administered by the NOTS as a "pass-through" from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. The city matching funds cover ancillary/fringe benefit personnel costs and \$1,470 match for the DUI conference. The Court has received \$221,000 grant funding from the NOTS during the three project years. The goal of the grant project entitled, Changing Behavior to Save Lives" is to reduce DUI recidivism; and is aligned with the city's strategic priority to increase public safety by providing a safe environment for our residents, businesses and visitors using a community oriented approach.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the City Council approve the grant funding agreement in the amount of \$80,000 and matching funds of \$29,510 for continued funding of a DUI Court Coordinator and annual DUI conference.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

- 1. State of Nevada Department of Public Safety Office of Traffic Safety, "Project Agreement"
- 2. State of Nevada Department of Public Safety Office of Traffic Safety, "Authorization to Proceed"
- 3. Schedule "B" FFY2008 Itemization of Budget

Motion made by GARY REESE to Approve Items 10, 12, 14-21 and 23-39 (with TARKANIAN abstaining on Item 16)

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Passed For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 1 RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, OSCAR B. GOODMAN, GARY REESE, STEVE WOLFSON, STEVEN D. ROSS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-LARRY BROWN)

